Workforce New Jersey One-Stop Career Center System Mission Statement

The Workforce New Jersey One-Stop Career Center System is committed to providing jobseekers and employers with a complete array of labor market and work preparation services. The design and delivery of core workforce development services are universally accessible to all individuals and employer customers. Based on the community's labor market needs, the One-Stop System provides services in an efficient, user-friendly, technologybased environment. The goals are to support business growth by connecting employers to a wellprepared local labor force, foster strong work preparation skills, and empower jobseekers with the information and support they need to make an informed decision leading to permanent, long-term work. These goals are supported by knowledgeable staff, in a flexible and adaptable environment with a commitment to customer-based continuous improvement.

For further information, please contact:

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Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. Tuesday 8:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Parking

Limited metered parking is available on Clinton Avenue and East State Street. There is a pay per hour covered parking garage on Yard Avenue.

Public Transportation

The Mercer County One-Stop Career Center is 2 blocks from the Trenton Train Station and the RiverLine. We are served by most NJ Transit Buses in Mercer County.

Mercer County One-Stop Career Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer with Equal Opportunity Programs.





Employer Guide

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The Mercer County One-Stop Career Center provides both job seekers and employers with easy access to employment, training, and social services.

The Business Resource Center (BRC) provides business solutions to small and mid-size employers. Located within the One-Stop, the BRC addresses workforce development requirements associated with recruitment and training. BRC staff can help navigate government agencies and non-profit organizations to find information about new business development, loan programs, child labor laws, general wage and hour information, labor market data, and permitting issues

We offer facilities and support for Positive Recruitments to help you find qualified employees. We'll prescreen applicants and arrange for recruiting sessions at our center. We also conduct Job Fairs to help businesses connect to jobseekers.

Co-located Partners:

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services (DVRS)

Mercer County Board of Social Services

New Jersey Department of Labor & Workforce Development

Employer Services

Business Resource Center (BRC)
Positive Recruitments
Job Fairs
On The Job Training (OJT)
Job Postings
Applicant Screening
Employer Workshops & Seminars
Access to fax, phone, internet
Labor Market Data
Liaison to Government Agencies & Programs

Jobseekers are provided with access to job search tools in addition to various workshops and seminars designed to help them obtain steady employment.

On the Job Training (OJT), a program offered through the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), is an incentive to businesses to receive either up to six months, or 50% of an employee's wages. The employer provides the training and assists the new hire to match the qualifications/skills necessary to satisfy the job requirements.



One of the many Job Fairs sponsored by the Mercer County One-Stop Career Center.



The **Professional Service Group**(**PSG**) of Mercer County is a volu

(PSG) of Mercer County is a voluntary, not-for-profit and self-managing association of professionals. It is affiliated with the New Jersey Department of Labor - Workforce New Jersey. PSG of Mercer County has approximately 35 active members. Members provide ongoing peer support, guidance and encouragement while seeking to transition back into the workforce.

PSG has candidates with expertise and training in Accounting, Administration, Chemistry, Communications, Consulting, E-Commerce, Education/Training, Engineering, Finance, Graphic Design, Human Resources, Information Technology, Insurance, Legal, Licensing, Life Sciences, Management, Manufacturing, Marketing, Pharmaceuticals, Publishing, Quality Assurance and Sales.

The Mercer County One-Stop Career Center is dedicated to:

- Connecting employers to a well-prepared workforce
- Helping individuals improve their long-term employment outcome
- Promoting lifelong learning opportunities